

Wedding Venue



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*Creating Lasting Memories for
Your Special Day*





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WEDDING BROCHURE

2026 — 2028



Congratulations ON YOUR ENGAGEMENT!



Thank you for considering The Darnley Lodge Hotel
as the venue for one of the most important days of your lives.

Nestled in the heart of the historic town of Athboy, The Darnley Lodge Hotel
has been creating unforgettable wedding celebrations for generations.

Combining warm Irish hospitality with elegant surroundings
and attentive service, we pride ourselves on
making every wedding truly unique.

We host only one wedding each day, ensuring that
you, your family and your guests receive our complete
attention from the moment you arrive
until the final dance.

Whether you dream of an intimate gathering
or a grand celebration, our experienced Wedding Team
will guide you through every step of your journey,
creating memories that will last a lifetime.

EXPERIENCE
moments
THAT LAST
A LIFETIME





Every Wedding at The Darnley Includes:

Your Arrival

- Red carpet welcome
- Champagne for the bridal party
- Exclusive drinks reception area

Your Celebration

- Beautifully dressed ballroom
- Fresh floral top table display
- Guest table centrepieces
- Personalised menus
- Wireless microphone
- Latebar

Your Memories

- Walled gardens and water fall for photographs
 - Complimentary Bridal Suite
 - Dedicated Wedding Coordinator
- Discounted guest accommodation
- Only one wedding hosted each day

Every wedding is unique. Our carefully curated Wedding Packages have been designed to offer exceptional dining, outstanding service and thoughtful extras, allowing you to choose the celebration that best reflects your vision.



Classic Wedding Package

In addition to all items outlined in the pagetitled, with our Compliments Private Area, in our Earl Suite for your pre-reception drinks.

A Sumptuous Five Course Meal

This package includes your choice of one Starter, a Soup, a Main Course & a Dessert, served with Freshly Brewed Tea and Coffee

Evening Food consisting of freshly brewed tea & coffee, freshly cut gourmet sandwiches and cocktail sausages.

Price €72 per person

A choice of mains supplement of €3.00 per person

Signature Wedding Package

In addition to all items outlined in the page titled, with our Compliments Private Area, in our Earl Suite for your pre-reception drinks
Tea and Coffee with home-made mini scones for all your guests on arrival

A Sumptuous Five Course Meal

This package includes your choice of one Starter, a Soup, a choice of two Main Courses and a Dessert,
Served with Freshly Brewed Tea and Coffee

One Glass of Wine per guest

Evening Food consisting of Freshly Brewed Tea & Coffee, freshly cut gourmet, cocktail sausages and chicken goujons.

Price €87 per person



Luxury Wedding Package

In addition to all items outlined in the page titled, with our Compliments Private Area, in our Earl Suite for your pre-reception drinks Sparkling Wine Reception. served with homemade mini scones for all your guests on arrival.

A Sumptuous Five Course Meal

This package includes your choice of one Starter, Soup, a
Choice of two Main Courses & Dessert,
served with Freshly Brewed Tea and Coffee,

Half bottle of wine per guest

Evening Food consisting of freshly brewed tea & coffee, freshly cut gourmet sandwiches, cocktail sausages and chicken goujons.

Two complimentary Classic Rooms for the Parents of the Bride and Groom

Price €98 per person

Enhance your Wedding Reception

By adding Beautiful Cherry Blossoms Trees to decorate your Wedding Reception
€30 each. (6 trees available to hire)

Or

Rose Gold Pedestal Floral Arrangements for Table Centre Pieces
€40 each



Wedding Reception Drinks

Prosecco
€40.00 per Bottle

Keg of Heineken
€500

Summer Fruit Punch
€8.00 per glass

Mulled Wine Reception
€8.00 per glass

House Wine – red & white
€35.00 per bottle

Open Toast
Drink of choice – charged on consumption basis.
Variable costs apply

If your chosen wine is unavailable, a suitable alternative may be offered.
An extensive wine list is available upon request.



Wedding Menu Options

Appetizer Selection – Choose One

Traditional Caesar Salad with bacon lardons, croutons and parmesan
Chicken Liver Pâté with fig jam
Duo of Cantaloupe and Ogen Melon with fruit coulis
Chicken and Mushroom Vol au Vent, garnished with mixed salad leaves

(a supplement of €2.00 per person will be charged for a choice of appetizer)

Soup Selection – Choose One

Cream of Seasonal Vegetable Soup
Leek and Potato Soup
Roasted Red Pepper and Tomato Soup
Cream of Mushroom Soup

Main Course Selection – Choose Two

Roast Irish beef, served with jus and horseradish cream
Baked Supreme of Atlantic Salmon with lemon and dill crème
Traditional Roast Turkey and Honey Glazed Ham, herb stuffing and gravy
Pan-seared Breast of Chicken, wild mushroom and bacon sauce
Grilled Fillet of Hake, lemon and dill crème sauce

Dessert Selection – Choose One

Profiteroles filled with cream & drizzled with chocolate sauce
Homemade Apple Pie with whipped cream
Fresh Fruit Meringue with cream and fruit coulis
Darnley Medley of Desserts
Raspberry & White Chocolate Cheesecake with whipped cream

(a supplement of €2.00 per person will be charged for a choice of dessert)

Freshly Brewed Tea & Coffee



CIVIL CEREMONIES & BLESSINGS

The Darnley Lodge Hotel is an ideal location for a romantic blessing or Civil Ceremony and has been approved as a venue for the solemnisation of a Civil Marriage by the Civil Registration Service.

We offer the choice of two beautifully appointed rooms, both of which are ideal for your civil ceremony. Opening up onto our garden area, our main function room can cater for civil ceremonies for parties of up to 200 people.

For numbers under 50, we offer the use of our private function room or alternatively our conservatory which offers great views of our garden, creating an alternative picturesque setting for your ceremony.

Nothing is more important to us at the Darnley Lodge Hotel than making sure that your wedding day is the most memorable day of your life. Remember we are here to help and advise on all matters.

Civil Ceremony Room Set - Up and Room Hire Price €350

EVENING WEDDING PARTIES

Continue the celebrations with family and friends in the warm and welcoming surroundings of The Darnley Lodge Hotel. Whether you're planning an evening reception following a civil ceremony, destination wedding or intimate celebration abroad, our Evening Celebration Packages provide the perfect setting to celebrate your special day.

Classic Evening Celebrations

- ◆ Arrival Reception: mulled wine or fruit punch
 - ◆ 4 piece finger food selection
 - ◆ Tea & coffee with wedding cake service
- €35.00 per person

Signature Evening Celebration

- ◆ Arrival Reception: prosecco, mulled wine or fruit punch
 - ◆ Buffet Menu: choice of one hot dish, cold meats, salads and bread rolls
 - ◆ Tea & coffee with wedding cake service
- €55.00 per person

If you have something different in mind, our Wedding Team will be delighted to create a bespoke evening celebration tailored to your requirements. Alternative menu options and customised packages are available upon request.



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TERMS & CONDITIONS

- ✦ Provisional bookings will be held for no longer than four weeks. After this time, provisional bookings will be automatically released for resale. The Hotel will not consider a booking definite until a signed contract and a non-refundable deposit of €1,000.00 has been received by a member of the Management Team from the client in person. The deposit will be credited against the final bill for the wedding reception.
- ✦ Wedding bookings must be made directly by the wedding couple. Third parties, including family members, friends, wedding planners or other representatives, cannot make or confirm a wedding booking on behalf of the wedding couple. Both the Bride and Groom must be present in person at the time of booking and must personally confirm and agree to the booking, including the date, arrangements and applicable terms and conditions.
- ✦ In the event of a cancellation by the client, cancellation charges in addition to the forfeit of the original deposits will be charged in full within four weeks of the wedding reception date. Cancellation charges will apply to all items booked. All cancellations and /or amendments must be in writing by both parties to the Hotel. (Cancellation charges will vary depending on notice given prior to wedding date).
- ✦ In the event of the wedding reception being postponed, the original deposit paid may be transferred to another date within six months of the original date booked.
- ✦ All accounts including accommodation (if being charged to main account) must be settled no later than 14 days in advance of the wedding reception. In order to assist with this, the Hotel will provide the client with a pro-forma invoice. Any outstanding balances must be settled on the day following the wedding reception. A credit card must be given for guarantee of all the above at the time of confirmation. Personal cheques cannot be accepted as a form of payment.
- ✦ Final numbers must be supplied to the Hotel 3x days in advance of the wedding date. The numbers quoted at this time will be the minimum number of guests charged to the account.
- ✦ The Hotel is not responsible for any entertainment that has not been directly reserved by the Hotel. All entertainment arrangements must have the approval of the Hotel management prior to the wedding date.
- ✦ All entertainers must supply their own equipment and accept full responsibility for it.
- ✦ Bedrooms can be reserved at a special discounted rate for the night of the wedding reception. The rooming list for these rooms must be submitted to the Hotel six weeks prior to arrival date. Any rooms not allocated at this time will be automatically released.



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TERMS & CONDITIONS CONTINUES...

- ♦ The Hotel accepts no responsibility for wedding cakes unless provided by the Hotel. The wedding couple are responsible for delivery and collection of their wedding cake. The Hotel will not store wedding cakes for more than four days after the wedding.
- ♦ No food (excluding the wedding cake) or drink may be served or consumed on the premises unless the Hotel supplies it. On request we do offer corkage which is €12.00 per bottle of wine and €16.00 per bottle of champagne.
- ♦ All prices are subject to review.
- ♦ All menu packages including revisions must be adhered to; a reduction in courses will not reduce the prices advertised.
- ♦ In order for the Hotel to provide the highest quality of service, pre-arranged timings must be adhered to. Time of arrival, reception and sit-down time must all be agreed in advance. The Hotel will not be responsible for services or food quality if agreed timings are not adhered to.
- ♦ The Hotel accepts no responsibility for any flowers or bouquets; all bouquets must be removed by the wedding party upon departure from the Hotel.
- ♦ The wedding couple must assume responsibility for any damage caused by them or any of their guests to furnishings, fire equipment or carpets during the function.
- ♦ The Hotel accepts no responsibility for the loss or damage to any item of equipment, furnishings, or other property brought onto the premises by the customer or persons authorised by the customer.
- ♦ The Hotel may cancel an event if it may prejudice the Hotel, and in such case, the Hotel will refund all advance payments made but will have no further liability. Prices quoted are valid for weddings taking place until 2028. Prices are subject to review for future years to reflect changes in operating costs and market conditions.

Signed by Client: _____ Date: _____

Signed by Hotel: _____ Date: _____

Date of Function: _____ Guest Numbers: _____

Guaranteed Minimum Number*: _____

* Please note that this guaranteed number is the minimum number of guests you will be charged for regardless of whether your numbers fall below this on the day.

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